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NEXT MEETING

The Historical Society of Greater Lansing will meet Thursday, March 29, at 8:00 P.M., at the Civic Center. The program committee has arranged an excellent program, consisting of short talks by two hobbyists of the Society.

Mr. George Wiskemann, president of the Lansing Muzzle-Loading Gun Club, will tell about his experiences in collecting Michigan fire-arms. Mr. Ted Hascall of the City Park & Cemetery Department will speak on his unusual hobby of making historical miniatures. Both speakers will arrange to have special displays to portray their hobbies.

Refreshments will be served.

LAST MEETING

Over 80 members and guests were present at the February meeting of the Society, held at the State Records Center. Dr. Lewis Beeson spoke briefly on the historical development of records management, and Mr. Philip Mason conducted a tour of the Records Center and spoke of its functions.

ANNUAL MEETING

Plans are well under way for the first annual meeting of the Society which will take place in May.

Members will be asked to fill out a questionnaire at the March meeting, denoting their interests and desires relative to future meetings. The editor of The Local Historian again requests ideas and information to be incorporated in the news letter.

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